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	Exhibit B	ADC Telecommunications, Inc.; FiberGuide™, Fiber Management System, 6 pages front and back printed.
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